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SUBJECT: COLT LICENSE APPLICATION 1030

SIPHYA ARMS, COLT'S AGENT IN THAILAND, IS
HANDLING THE SALE OF 30,000 M-16 A1'S TO THE RTG. MR.
D. BOON-AEK IS THE OWNER AND KEY INDIVIDUAL OF SIPHYA
AND HAS MANY BUSINESS CONTACTS WITH MOD OFFICIALS.
THERE IS NO APPARENT REASON FOR SIPHYA RATHER THAN
RTG AS CONSIGNEE ON SUBJECT SALE. EMBASSY HAS BEEN
INFORMED BY BOON-AEK THAT RIFLES ARE INVOICED FOR
MOD/RTG, BUT IF REQUIRED BY USG, SIPHYA WILL INDICATE
RTG AS FOREIGN CONSIGNEE.
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Subject: COLT LICENSE APPLICATION 1030 SIPHYA ARMS, COLT'S AGENT IN THAILAND, IS TAGS: MILI, TH, COLT INDUSTRIES
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